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5 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
6 **FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
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8 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CASE NO. CV F 05-594 LJO SMS

9 Plaintiff,

10 **ORDER DENYING REQUEST TO**  
11 **CONTINUE HEARING**

12 vs.

13 STEVEN HEMPFLING.,

Hearing Date: May 30, 2007

Hearing Time: 9 a.m.

14 Defendant.

Courtroom: 4 (LJO)

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16 The stipulated agreement to continue the hearing on the government's Motion to Strike  
17 Affirmative Defenses in the above entitled action does not constitute good cause. The request is hereby  
18 DENIED. The current hearing date of May 8, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. will remain on calendar  
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20 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

21 **Dated: April 23, 2007**

/s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill

22 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**  
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